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TAGS: PBOR, JA, CH

SUBJECT: SENKAKUS

REF: (A) TOKYO 06507 (NOTAL) (B) STATE 096877

1. WE ARE REPEATING REFTELS TO YOU IN HOPE OF CLARIFYING DISCUSSIONS ABOUT SENKAKUS WHICH TOOK PLACE WITH GOJ DURING OKINAWA REVERSION NEGOTIATIONS. SPECIFICALLY, WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR RECOLLECTIONS REGARDING PM FUKUDA'S STATEMENT IN PARA 5 REFTEL (A) TO EFFECT THAT US "INDICATED THAT IF A PROBLEM AROSE IN THE FUTURE THE US WOULD BE WILLING TO SHOW UNDERSTANDING OF JAPAN'S POSITION." NONE OF OUR RECORDS NOR MEMORIES HERE WERE ABLE TO SHED ANY LIGHT ON THIS COMMENT.

2. WE RECOLLECT THAT USG POSITION DETAILED PARA 2 REFTEL B WAS WORKED OUT RATHER THOROUGHLY WITH GOJ. WOULD
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APPRECIATE YOUR COMMENT ON THIS AS WELL.
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